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## CLOSING OF MIDLANDS RESIDENCES AND SUSPENSION OF THE ACADEMIC PROGRAMME IN THE MIDLANDS CENTRE

22 February 2017

Students  
Midlands Centre  
Durban University of Technology

Dear Students

All Midlands Centre DUT students residing in University-owned and in out-sourced residences are required to vacate the residences within 24 hours, **starting at 15h00 today 22 February 2017 at 15h00**. This drastic measure has been necessitated by the violent action on the part of students this morning. The student protest action over the past two days resulted in the shutdown of the academic programme, staff at Indumiso campus not being able to access their offices, and a shutdown of construction activities at Indumiso campus.

Only registered students will be allowed back into the residences on Sunday 26 February 2017, from 14h00.

The academic programme will resume on **Monday 27 February 2017**.

Issued by:

  
Professors Thandi Gwele  
As Acting Vice Chancellor